

Sickness is bad; to lose your job is worse; but poverty is the worst calamity of all.



The Man with Money has his money safe in the Bank, so when adversity comes he is prepared for it.

"It never rains but it pours." It seems that everything happens to a man when he is BROKE. Troubles never come singly.

Guard against poverty by putting some of your spare money in the Bank. Of all the worries and care the worst is poverty and debt. You can prevent them by the money you can well afford to put into the Bank now.

Put YOUR money in OUR bank

## Bank of Marlinton

Capital and Surplus \$137,000.00

### LOCAL MENTION.

Ligon Price is down from Dunnmore today.

J. A. Shinnaberry of Back Mountain, spent Sunday night in town.

H. D. Hively, of the Hills, was a caller at this office Saturday.

J. M. Gurn of Greenbank, spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. B. M. Yeager, who has been seriously ill, is reported worse.

Ö. S. Orndorff of Greenbank, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

F. P. Clark, Cashier of the Bank of Renick, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Auburn Pyles, of Seelert, was a caller at this office, Monday.

R. G. May and family are on an automobile trip to their old home in Virginia.

Paul Hannah, son of S. B. Hannah, of Arbovale, is in the United States aviation service at Mt. Clemens.

Miss Anna Banton, of the Marlinton Hospital, is spending her vacation at her home in Greenbrier county.

Mrs. G. W. Reber and daughter, Miss Johnnie Burgess, of Beckley, are with relatives in Pocahontas.

Mrs. Ira Brill and little daughter Margaret, and Miss Little Moore are at Alderson, the guests of Re. W. H. Ballenger.

Miss Marjorie Moore has returned home from Roanoke where she has been taking a course in a business college.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan has returned from a two weeks' visit at the home of her brother, John Garvey at Pence Spring.

L. D. Woodell was here from Greenbank Saturday to take his son, Glenn, home from the Marlinton Hospital.

Edith Baxter has returned from Parkersburg, where she was attending a business college. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Eva Pierce of Parkersburg.

Superintendent J. W. Haynes announces that the morning train on the Greenbrier will leave Roanoke at nine o'clock, but if necessary will wait 45 minutes on the second section of train No. 4.

W. H. Higgins, the old Confederate, who was admitted to the Soldiers' Home at Richmond last winter, is home on a ninety days furlough, dressed in Confederate gray. He says they treat him mighty good down there.

C. S. Kramer was called to Highland County by the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Kent Kramer. This occurred very unexpectedly at her home in Winterburn, July 10th, from heart disease. She was about twenty-five years old and is survived by her husband. Burial at Union Chapel in Crabbottom.

### PETIT JURORS

The following named persons have been summoned for the 7th day of August, 1917, to serve as petit jurors:

W. J. Killingsworth, G. W. Mann, Harvey Bright, C. R. Cook, Carl G. Beard, W. L. Lane, Russell Hannan, G. L. Kinnison, Roy C. Shears, Elmer Moore, Charles Spencer, J. K. Kramer, June McElwee, Letta Young, P. P. Oliver, Walter Grimes, O. P. McNeil, F. H. Worwick, D. A. Gladwell, Frank Houchin, G. W. Witmuth, Moody Moore, Auburn Pyles.

Moody Pyles, Lock McNeill, Frank King, Urbannus Bruner, Sherman McCarty, John A. Cleek, C. E. Denison, Walter Hively, Davis Shinnaberry, Willie Dilley, Porter Kerr, Elmer Sharp, John Curry, Kenny Hogsett, D. I. Brill, W. S. Darnell, C. M. Greathouse, W. S. Boulevant, W. H. Young, Geo. A. Beverage, Henry Shinnaberry, Frank Baxter, James W. Gafford.

All registered men in the army should stay close at home as the drawing proceeds, for in army matters forthwith means, pronto, at once, p. q., and it does not mean the middle of next week.

**KEEP ON BUILDING ROADS.**

(Charleston Gazette)

At the last regular session of the legislature the best road law in the nation was passed. It centralizes power in the construction of the public highways of the state and assures a uniformity of action and construction that presages nothing but fine highways in the future. The two commissioners provided for in the act have been appointed and work organized.

Now that West Virginia has its first real start in transforming the cow paths of the mountains into fine, broad highways of scenic beauty, the work should continue and should not be interrupted by the war.

Good roads are the arteries of trade just as much as railways, the only difference being the scope of transit and the rolling stock. Roads are the arteries which feed the railroads and "business as usual" can be supplemented by keeping the roads in the state in good condition and building others.

**Notice to Contractors**

The Board of Education of Huntersville District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia, will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 14, 1917, for the erection of a school house at Sunset, in said district, on the location recently made vacant by fire.

The plan and specifications may be seen at Mr. W. H. Barlow's store, Huntersville, or, on request, the secretary will send a written copy to any one interested.

By Order of the Board.

Josiah C. Loury, Secretary.

### THE KNAPPS CREEK ROUTE

Hon. J. A. Viquesney, State Game Warden, writes the State Road Commission, in favor of the Knapps Creek Valley for a Class Road.

I was in Pocahontas County a few days this week, and while there learned that there had been some action taken toward locating the A class roads through Pocahontas County, and that there was a move on foot to locate this road up Brown's Creek to Bartow rather than up Knapp's Creek, which in my judgment would be a great mistake.

I have traveled over both of these roads several times, and it occurs to me that the road up Knapp's Creek is the ideal one, and can be built a great deal cheaper on account of the fine road material the entire length of this road, besides, it will always be a great deal easier to keep this road in repair than the other road, on account of the difference in the class of soil.

I also heard some talk that there was some question which way this road would turn after reaching Bartow, some thinking that it would go to the top of the Allegheny Mountains, on the Virginia line, and others, to the top of the Cheat Mountains, to the Randolph County line.

While it may not look proper for me, not being a resident of Pocahontas County, to make any suggestions concerning these roads, yet I can truthfully say that I have more money invested in the Allegheny and Cheat Mountain clubs than I have at any other one spot, and am at the present time considering a purchase of several hundred additional acres of land in Pocahontas County, and for that reason am intensely interested in the roads of that country.

These clubs will finally bring more tourists to this section of the state than anything else, and I am very anxious that there be a good road between them, and have heard hundreds of people say, from this and other states, that the drive across Cheat Mountain via the Club Club to the Virginia line was one of the most beautiful and picturesque roads to be found in any state of the union.

It also occurs to me that the road up Knapp's Creek will accommodate many more people than the one up Brown's Creek, besides the road up Brown's Creek being clay, can always be worked with a road machine and kept in splendid repair with but little cost, and I hope that you will give all of these matters careful consideration in locating these roads.

It is my intention, after my term of office expires, to devote most of my time to the development of these clubs and other interests that I am trying to acquire at this time in Pocahontas County, and, in fact, it may be possible that I will spend a great deal of my time in that county, so I know you will pardon me for making these suggestions outside of my jurisdiction at the present time.

With best regards, I beg to remain, very truly yours,

J. A. Viquesney.

Misses Désie Hanna and Elizabeth Livesay, of Frankford, are the guests of Mrs. Forrest Malcomb.

**Mooseheart Pictures**

On Monday night, July 16, at the AMUSU moving picture Theatre will be shown the five reel special picture of Mooseheart, the Home maintained by the Loyal Order of Moose at Mooseheart, Illinois. These pictures show this large instruction complete, and will be of interest to the public as well as to the members of the order.

The home, the sanitarium, the farm, the orphanage, school, garden, shops, and everything connected with the institution—one of the largest of its kind in the world—will be shown in motion pictures. At AMUSU, Monday night, July 16.

Don't hesitate. Pay them at our rates. If they are not better, cheaper, more pleasant; if they don't do you more good than all the medicines you ever used, go back to the merchant or druggist from whom you bought them, and get a refund to you. Double the legal price.

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